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GOVERNMENT OF PUNJAB

DEPARTMENT OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT AND PANCHAYAT

VIKAS BHAWAN, SECTOR-62, S.A.S NAGAR

(General Branch)

NOTIFICATION

The 11th October, 2022

No. S.O-4164/ P.A.9/1994/S30/2022.-In supersession of the notification No. S.O 438/ PA.9/ 1994/S30/2016 dated 29th March, 2016 and in exercise of the powers conferred under clause (XVI) (h) of section 30 read with section 204 of Punjab Panchayati Raj Act 1994, complete prohibition to manufacture, stock, distribute, recycle, cell or use of plastic carry bags in their respective jurisdiction in the State of Punjab w.e.f 1st April 2016 under the Punjab Plastic Carry Bags (Manufacture, Usage and Disposal) Control Act 2005 was notified.

Now, in addition to above said notification, exercising the powers conferred under clause (XVI)(h) of section 30 and section 204 of the Punjab Panchayati Raj Act 1994 and the Punjab Plastic Carry Bags (Manufacture, Usage and Disposal) Control Act 2005 and amended Act 2016, read with Plastic Waste Management (Amendment) Rules, 2021 notified by Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate change Government of India vide notification No: G. S. R 571(E) dated 12th August, 2021, the Governor of Punjab is pleased to further impose complete prohibition on the manufacture, import, stocking, distribution, sale and use of following Single Use Plastic (SUP), including polystyrene and expanded polystyrene, commodities in the jurisdictions of Gram Panchayats of Punjab with effect from 1st July, 2022:-

- i) Ear buds with plastic sticks, plastic sticks for balloons, plastic flags, candy sticks, ice-cream sticks, polystyrene [Thermocol] for decoration:

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- ii) Plates, cups, glasses, cutlery such as forks, spoons, knives, straw, trays, wrapping or packing films around sweet boxes, invitation cards, and cigarette packets, plastic or PVC banners less than 100 micron, stirrers.

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Department of Rural Development and Panchayats

The 11th October, 2022

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